

# **BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001 Hart , Kentucky [21099]**

Hart is one of 120 counties in Kentucky. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2001 population of 17,305 ranked 63rd in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Hart had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$16,731. This PCPI ranked 105th in the state and was 67 percent of the state average, \$24,923, and 55 percent of the national average, \$30,582. The 2001 PCPI reflected a decrease of 1.5 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.1 percent and the national change was 2.5 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Hart was \$12,050 and ranked 87th in the state. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Hart had a total personal income (TPI) of \$289,532\*. This TPI ranked 73rd in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1991 the TPI of Hart was \$183,526\* and ranked 69th in the state. The 2001 TPI reflected a decrease of 2.8 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.5 percent and the national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.4 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Hart. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 57.3 percent of TPI (compared with 58.0 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.9 percent (compared with 18.7 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 26.8 percent (compared with 23.3 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings decreased 9.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.7 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 4.5 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Hart decreased from \$150,928\* in 2000 to \$135,609\* in 2001, a decrease of 10.1 percent. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.1 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$84,591\* to the 2001 estimate was 4.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

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<sup>\*</sup>Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.